



NOTICE OF CANDIDACY

NORTH CAROLINA

Craven County

ELECTION MUNICIPAL
 ELECTION DATE 11/03/2015
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FRAUDULENTLY OR FALSELY COMPLETING THIS FORM IS A CLASS I FELONY UNDER CHAPTER 163 OF THE NC GENERAL STATUTES.

TO: CRAVEN COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS Candidate ID: BCDHS5
 RE: NOTICE OF CANDIDACY FOR OFFICE OF: TOWN OF RIVER BEND MAYOR

CANDIDATE'S NOTICE AND PLEDGE

(select appropriate checkbox and complete section based on the contest for which you are filing your notice of candidacy)

PARTISAN
 CONTESTS
 (Federal, State, County
 or Municipal)

☐ I hereby file notice as a candidate for nomination as _____
 in District _____ in the _____ party primary election to be held on _____
 I affiliate with the _____ party, and I certify that I am now registered on the registration records of the
 precinct in which I reside as an affiliate of the _____ party. I further certify that I have not changed my
 political party affiliation within the past ninety (90) days, nor have I changed from "unaffiliated" status to my current
 affiliation with the past ninety (90) days. I pledge that if I am defeated in the primary, I will not run for the same office as a
 write-in candidate in the next general election.

NON-PARTISAN
 CONTESTS

☒ I hereby file notice as a candidate for election to the office of TOWN OF RIVER BEND MAYOR
 in District _____ in the MUNICIPAL Election to be held on 11/03/2015 in CRAVEN
 County.

JUDICIAL
 CONTESTS

☐ I hereby file notice as a candidate for election to the office of _____
 to succeed _____ (Name and District if applicable), in the regular election to be
 conducted _____. I certify that I am now registered on the registration records of the precinct in which I
 reside. I understand that if required by G.S. § 163-322, a non-partisan primary is scheduled to be conducted on
 My N.C. State Bar No. is _____.

CANDIDATE INFORMATION

JOHN RICHARD KIRKLAND

Full Legal Name

118 BOWLINE RD

Residential Address

NEW BERN, NC 28562

City, State and Zip

(252) 633-1363

Home Phone

(252) 259-8033

Cell Phone

John R. Kirkland

Name to Appear on Ballot

Mailing Address

City, State and Zip

Business Phone

Email Address

FELONY DISCLOSURE

Have you ever been convicted of a felony? ☐ YES ☒ NO

If you have been convicted of a felony, you are required to complete the "Candidate Felony Disclosure" form within 48 hours of submitting this
 notice. GS § 163-106. The required form can be obtained from any election office or from the NC State Board of Elections website at
www.NCSBE.gov. A prior felony conviction does not preclude holding elected office if rights of citizenship have been restored. Felony conviction
 need not be disclosed if the conviction was dismissed as a result of reversal on appeal or resulted in a pardon of innocence or expungement.

AFFIDAVIT ATTESTING TO NICKNAME

I, _____ have been duly sworn, hereby state under oath that I have been commonly known by the nickname,
 _____ Legal Name
 _____ for at least five years and request that my name be placed on the ballot as follows:
 _____ Nickname
 _____ In the event that another candidate with the same last name as mine files notice of candidacy for the
 _____ Name to Appear on Ballot
 same office for which I am a candidate, my name should be listed as follows: _____
 _____ (Legal name and nickname)

CANDIDATE'S AFFIRMATION

I swear or affirm that the statements on this form are true, correct and complete to the best of my knowledge or belief.

Signature of Candidate

07/06/2015

Date

CERTIFICATION OF AFFIDAVIT OF NICKNAME
(if applicable)

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, _____ COUNTY

I hereby certify that, _____ the candidate who signed the AFFIDAVIT ATTESTING TO NICKNAME, personally appeared before me this day and signed this document in my presence.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this _____ day of _____, _____.

X

Notary Signature

Printed Name

My Commission Expires

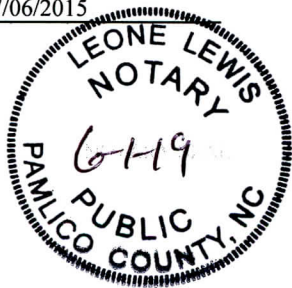
NOTARY SEAL

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF NOTICE OF CANDIDACY

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, CRAVEN COUNTY

I hereby certify that, JOHN RICHARD KIRKLAND, the candidate who signed this NOTICE OF CANDIDACY, personally appeared before me this day and signed this document in my presence or acknowledged his/her signature to be the same.

Date: 07/06/2015



X

Leone Lewis
Signature of Certifying Officer (or Notary)

Leone Lewis
Printed Name of Certifying Officer (or Notary)

Election Specialist I
Title of Certifying Officer

6-1-19
My Commission Expires

VERIFICATION BY COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS

The undersigned has examined the voter registration records in CRAVEN COUNTY and found that JOHN RICHARD KIRKLAND

☒ Is a registered voter in this county.

☒ (Municipal Contests Only) Is a registered voter in the municipality of River Bend.

☐ (Partisan Contests Only) Is affiliated with _____ party and has not changed his/her political party affiliation within the past ninety (90) days.

Director
Title of County Official

X

Shelby
Signature of County Official

JUL 06 2015
Date

The Notice of Candidacy must be signed in the presence of the chairman, secretary or director of the Board of Elections with which he/she files or a candidate may have his/her signature on the Notice of Candidacy acknowledged and certified to be any officer authorized to administer an oath. (See NCGS § 163-294.2.)